

SENATE TO PROBE MEXICAN AFFAIR

Constitutionalist Leader Will Be
Witness Before Foreign Relations Committee.

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If there is a reasonable excuse, the man elected President will be recognized. The President still hopes the factions will work out their own solution. Mediation is still relied on by the President if the Mexicans do not solve the situation. However, there is the utmost pessimism in the Senate about any peaceful solution and predictions are constantly heard that in the long run this country will be compelled to interfere.

Huerta's Statement.
Interest was manifested in the statement made by Dr. Aureliano Urrutia, the Mexican minister of the interior on the behalf of President Huerta, in which it was declared emphatically that Huerta would neither resign the Presidency nor "permit nationals or foreigners to take a hand in a question in which is involved his honor and that of the nation." The declaration was explained as being an answer to the Mexican deputies who are promoting a movement to bring about an understanding between the Mexican rebels and the Huerta administration. It was held significant that Huerta did not issue this statement himself, so that it lacks the authenticity it otherwise would have. Secretary Bryan remained in Washington today, although it had been stated he would leave last night to resume his chautauqua tour. The Secretary may leave tonight, although no announcement to this effect was definitely made, nor was the itinerary of his proposed trip made public. No dispatches were received at the State Department today bearing on the Mexican situation. At the Navy Department brief reports were received from Puerto Mexico and Matamoros, where vessels are stationed, but these simply reported all quiet.

At the Department of Justice nothing was heard from New Orleans concerning the arrest of G. Raymond Matthews, special agent of the department, and J. L. Mott, his assistant, on the

charge of attempting to blackmail Emanuel Castillo Brito, former governor of the state of Campeche. It was learned last night that Matthews was released on parole through the efforts of District Attorney Lucena. Mott and Ernesto Arizaga, the representative of the Carranza revolutionists, arrested at the same time, are still held in prison, as is Brito, who was arrested on charges filed by the Mexican government.

Although there is a disposition at the Department of Justice to believe that Matthews has been drawn unwittingly into a bitter Mexican political fight, the department will not make any comment until official advice is received. The Mexican embassy here attacks Brito as a bandit. The constitutionalist headquarters, however, insists that Brito's arrest is a part of a political plot, designed primarily to keep him imprisoned until such time as a hearing on the extradition application can be had.

Advices have reached Consul T. R. Edwards at El Paso that Bernard J. MacDonald and Ray Herrell have been released by the Chihuahua authorities, but that Charles Beisel is still being held. Beisel and MacDonald are said to have been arrested for refusing to accede to Orozco's demand for the commission on shipments of bullion they were about to make from their mines.

Orders Coffin Repainted.
LANCASTER, Ohio, Aug. 3.—Believing that death is near, James Swan, eighty-seven, a pioneer of Ingham county, has sent a coffin that he had made for himself several years ago to a painter at Danville to be "retouched."

WEATHER REPORT.

The forecast for the District of Columbia—Fair tonight and Monday; no decided change in temperature; light to moderate variable winds.
For eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, and Maryland—Generally fair tonight and Monday; light to variable winds.
For Virginia—Fair tonight and Monday; light to moderate variable winds.

The temperature today as registered at the United States Weather Bureau and Affleck's:
U. S. BUREAU: 8 a. m. 72, 10 a. m. 76, 12 noon 79, 2 p. m. 84.
AFFLECK'S: 8 a. m. 72, 10 a. m. 76, 12 noon 79, 2 p. m. 84.

TIDE TABLE.
High tide, 8:30 a. m. and 9:02 p. m.
Low tide, 2:33 a. m. and 3:15 p. m.
SUN TABLE.
Sun rises...5:01 Sun sets...7:11

Parliament Member Imitates Bryan and Gives "Dry" Dinner

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Secretary Bryan's temperance hospitalities are being copied in London. Sir Thomas Whitaker gave a dinner party at the house of commons, to celebrate his parliamentary majority, at which only soft drinks were served. Every session witnesses a diminution in the number of bottles of wine on dining tables in the house, but a banquet with mineral water to support the festive spirit is unusual, as the members of parliament are conventional diners. The last vegetarian banquet at St. Stephen's was given by Arnold Lupton years ago.

Tolman Victim of First Crusade Here

Daniel H. Tolman, known as the "loan shark king," who attained new notoriety following his trial in New Jersey, concluded Friday, and his later arrest in New York, was one of the victims of the first crusade of the Washington police against loan men under the new law. His case in the District is still pending, with many others, awaiting a decision by the courts.

Tolman was not arrested in person in Washington. Instead, his manager here accepted service of a warrant in his name, and was released on deposit of \$50 collateral to appear when wanted. It is doubtful whether Tolman will personally appear here for trial.

Robber Beats Aged Woman.

On account of the absence of Alexandria pastors from the city this morning a number of visiting clergymen officiated. The Rev. Para Kennedy, of the Theological Seminary, took the place of the Rev. P. J. Phillips, at St. Paul's Church. The Rev. J. E. W. McCauley, of Washington, preached at Trinity M. E. Church, in place of the

CONFEDERATES TO PICK DELEGATES

Alexandria Veterans Will Send Representatives to Annual Encampment to Be Held in Roanoke During September—Elks Will Unveil Tablet to Deceased Members of Lodge.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU, ALEXANDRIA, VA., AUGUST 3.—At a meeting of Robert E. Lee Camp of Confederate veterans in Lee Camp Hall tomorrow night delegates will be elected to the annual State encampment of the veterans of Virginia, which will be held in Roanoke, September 17, 18, and 19. An effort will be made to send as large a delegation as possible from Alexandria on this occasion. The local camp has lost rapidly in membership in recent years on account of death, the toll during the past year being especially heavy. Sponsors from Alexandria will also be selected.

Alexandria will be dry territory from tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock until 6 o'clock Wednesday morning, on account of the Democratic State primary election Tuesday. Under the new election law, saloons are required to close on primaries the same as on regular election days. The city Democratic Committee, under whose jurisdiction the election will be held, will hold a meeting tomorrow night at the Hotel Rammel to make the final arrangements for the primary.

A handsome memorial tablet, twelve feet high, bearing the names of twenty-six deceased members, will be unveiled by Alexandria Lodge of Elks, which will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in their home on Prince street. There will also be an initiation and the representative of the grand lodge meeting recently held at Rochester, N. Y., will make his report of the proceedings of that body. After tomorrow night, the lodge will not meet again until September 8.

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All Paris Is Laughing At George Ade's Joke About the Slit Skirt

PARIS, Aug. 3.—George Ade, who spent a few days at the Meurice, has left there on another trip to Berlin. All Paris is laughing at his latest bon mot regarding the slit skirt, which he described as "the open question," adding, "anyway, the whole problem is merely a side issue."

Escapes From Asylum.

SHAMOKIN, Aug. 2.—Wanted by the Italian government for a number of alleged crimes, George Feudale, an inmate of the State hospital here, has escaped. When he found United States immigration officers had arrived here to turn him over to the Italian government, clad only in a sheet, he fled to the mountains.

The Rev. William J. Morton, rector of Christ Church, will sail next Saturday on the Merion, of the American line for an extended trip to Europe. Mr. Morton has been presented with a purse of gold by his parishioners, a committee having charge of the subscription. Mrs. Thomas Robinson, president of the Ladies Aid Society; Mrs. William Griffith, president of the Chancel Guild; Mrs. William Booth, Mrs. William A. Smoot, Mrs. Albert Bryan, Mrs. Anderson, and Miss Katherine H. Stuart, who was chosen president of this committee. During Mr. Morton's absence from the city, services at Christ Church will be conducted by professors of the Theological Seminary.

The Civil Service Commission announces the following examinations to be held at the Alexandria postoffice on the dates mentioned, to fill vacancies in the classified service: August 18, instructor, mechanical engineer, assistant in agricultural education, chief, office of information; August 20, assistant in crop acclimatization, assistant preparator in paleontology, laboratory of information; August 21, assistant in horticulture, radio subinspector.

The Rev. John Lee Allison, D. D., pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, will have tomorrow for Wytheville, Va., where he will spend his vacation.

TO AID CHARITY AT CHESAPEAKE BEACH

Four Capital Girls to Solicit
Funds Each Day From
Booths Along Boardwalk.

A new attraction has been added to the board walk at Chesapeake Beach in the form of a newly decorated booth opposite the dancing pavilion, where Washington girls, each one up to the beauty standard of the Capital, will solicit subscriptions for the Associated Charities during the remainder of the summer season. This precedent in fund collecting was made possible through the courtesies of President W. F. Jones, of the Chesapeake Beach Railway Company, and J. S. Donald, manager of the beach. The space on the boardwalk is given without charge, and Mr. Jones, besides lending his aid and counsel in establishing the booth, headed the subscription list with a contribution of \$5. Everybody else who assisted in the work yesterday, including the carpenters, gave something, so that the Associated Charities had \$10 to show for their enterprise as soon as it was launched.

"We have the most desirable location on the walk, and I am sure our work will be greatly benefited by it," said Mrs. J. V. Harring, who superintended the opening of the booth yesterday. "There will be four young women from Washington in charge of the booth all the time, a new quartet going down to the beach from here every day."

"The manager of the merry-go-round has promised that he will set aside a certain day this month, during which every nickel that his concession takes in will go to the Associated Charities. Mr. Jones is a most generous offer, and we are hoping that some of the other summer resorts around Washington will draw to follow the example that has been set at Chesapeake Beach."

Free Music, Dancing, Moving Pictures at Randle Highlands tonight.—Adv.

RUMMAGE SALE

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Every section throughout this store features sensational values in wanted merchandise of all kinds. It's our half-yearly clean-up, therefore, all odd lots, broken assortments, left-overs, discontinued lines, etc., must be closed out without any regard of former price or value. You'll do well, indeed, to be here early tomorrow and get the best of the "picking."

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CASIMIR BRASIERES; trimmed and untrimmed styles; slightly soiled; regular 50c value. Sale price, each.....29c

WOMEN'S WAISTS, tailored styles, checked and striped materials; regular \$1.00 values. Sale price, each.....29c

WOMEN'S WAISTS; lingerie styles; fine lawn, lace, and embroidered; regular \$1.00 values. Sale price, each.....59c

WOMEN'S WAISTS, messaline, China silk, and all over net; newest models; regular \$2.00 values. Sale price, each.....98c

WOMEN'S WAISTS, striped madras and plain soisette; soft collars and cuffs; \$1.00 values. Sale price, each.....69c

WOMEN'S WAISTS, tailored styles, of fine China silk; full line of sizes; regular \$2.00 values. Sale price, each.....98c

WOMEN'S WAISTS, lingerie styles of voile, batiste, etc., newest designs; regular \$1.50 values. Sale price, each.....69c

SILK PETTICOATS, made of messaline; black, tan, light blue, and white; regular \$2.00 value. Sale price, each.....\$1.00

\$1.00 BATISTE FLOUNCING; 52 inches wide; white ground, with colored, washable, mercerized floss embroidered designs. Sale price, a yard.....39c

\$1.25 VOILE FLOUNCING; 45 inches wide; large scalloped edge and embroidered half the depth. Sale price, a yard.....49c

REMNANTS of voile, batiste, and Swiss embroidery flouncings; 45 inches wide; in 1 to 3 yard lengths. Sale price, a yard.....29c

LOT EMBROIDERIES, consisting of cambric edges and insertions; in all wanted widths; dainty patterns. Sale price, a yard.....5c

8c and 12c REAL LINEN TONCHON LACES; 2 to 4 inches wide; matched sets; in ecru and white. Sale price, a yard.....3c

25c COTTON LACE BANDS; 2 to 6 inches wide; cream, white, and ecru; many dainty designs to select from. Sale price, a yard.....10c

8c and 12c VAL. INSERTIONS; narrow widths only. Sale price, a yard.....2c

50c SHADOW LACE EDGES; 18 inches wide; dainty patterns; in white, cream, and ecru. Sale price, a yard.....25c

WAVEY HAIR SWITCHES; 22 inches long; extra heavy; in a full line of all wanted shades; regular \$1 value. Sale price, each.....49c

HAIR NETS, with or without elastic; all shades of brown; 5 nets in a package. Sale price, 2 packages for 15c or a package for.....8c

NEWEST NECKWEAR; embroidery, Bulgarian, and princess collars; many designs; regular 10c to 25c values. Sale price, each.....10c

LONG SILK CLOVES; in button length; black and white; double tipped; regular \$1.00 value. Sale price, a pair.....59c

CHILDREN'S PARASOLS; all silk; colored centers, with Dresden borders; regular \$2.50 value. Sale price, each.....69c

CHILDREN'S PARASOLS; pink and red only; double ruffles; regular \$2.50 value. Sale price, each.....19c

JEWELRY Novelties and Shell Goods; wide assortment of all kinds; values \$1.00 to \$5.00. Sale price, each.....8c

LACE COLLARS; fancy designs; round or square styles; regular \$2c value. Sale price, each.....19c

WASH BAGS; crocheted, braided; linen and plique; many different styles; values \$1.00 to \$2.00. Sale price, each.....19c

BATHING CAPS; made of rubberized satin; checked, patterned, and plain; regular \$1.00 value. Sale price, each.....10c

WHITE CHIP HATS; latest midseason models of fine straw hats; included in the lot are many styles that have Fashion's first call. \$1.50 values.....45c

SEMI-TRIMMED AND READY-TO-WEAR HATS; in all the best styles and colors; values up to \$2.00. Choice.....49c

IMITATION PANAMA (split pearl braid) HATS; wide brim models; for women and misses; \$2 values. Choice.....69c

HEMP, MILAN, AND CHIP HATS; lot of odd and ends; various styles and colors. Sale price, each.....10c

ODDS AND ENDS OF FLOWERS; all kinds. While they last, choice.....10c

WOMEN'S UMBRELLA PANTS; fine gauze ribbed; lace trimmed; made and finished; regular 15c value. Sale price, each.....12c

3c and 5c fine gauze ribbed; trimmed with hand-crocheted lace; all sizes; regular 50c value. Sale price, a pair.....35c

MISSIE'S VESTS; fine gauze ribbed; wing sleeves; only a limited quantity on sale at this price; each.....5c

BOYS' UNDERWEAR; broken line halbrigan underwear for boys; long or short sleeve shirts; knee or ankle drawers; each.....12c

BOYS' UNION SUITS; open mesh; short sleeves; knee length; regular 25c value. Sale price, each.....15c

WOMEN'S GAUZE LIEB HOSE; high apicled heels; double soles; black, white and tan; regular 25c value. Sale price, a pair.....15c

WOMEN'S HOSE, pure thread silk; reinforced soles; four-inch carter hem; pink, red, light blue and white; \$1.50 value. A pair.....59c

CHILDREN'S SOCKS AND HOSE; odds and ends; small sizes only; regular 15c, 25c and 35c value. Sale price, a pair.....9c

25c COLORED.....17c

WASH GOODS; lot of best quality colored wash goods, consisting of corduroy, poplin, 19-inch tub silk waistings, plain and dotted silks, etc. All wasted colors.....7c

12 PIECES WHITE INDIA LINON; regular 15c value. Sale price, a yard.....49c

10 PIECES OYSTER WHITE RAMIE LINON; 48 inches wide; \$1 value. Sale price, a yard.....49c

5 PIECES T. D. LINON; 48 inches wide; regular 35c value. Sale price, a yard.....15c

7 PIECES MOHAIR SICILIAN; green, brown, and red; 36 inches wide; 50c value. Sale price, per yard.....29c

18 PIECES RAMIE LINON; 36 inches wide, in full line of colors. 25c value. Sale price, per yard.....9c

6 PIECES SERPENTINE CREPE; fancy kimono patterns. 12c value. Sale price, per yard.....10c

MEN'S HOSE; black, tan, and gray; lisle thread; regular 25c value. Sale price, 3 pairs for 50c, or a pair.....17c

ODDS AND ENDS MEN'S SHIRTS; handkerchiefs; values up to \$1.00 each. Sale price, each.....25c

BOYS' BATHING SUITS; combination styles; blue ribbed; white brail trimmed; regular 25c value. Sale price, each.....19c

Wash Dresses at Sensational Reductions

CHAMBERY DRESSES; in various colors and combinations; values up to \$2.00. Sale price, each.....69c

LINGERIE DRESSES; in all popular materials and designs; values up to \$1.00. Sale price, each.....\$1.98

WHITE LAWN DRESSES; and embroidered; trimmed; \$1.50 values. Sale price, each.....\$1.45

\$7.50 GENUINE LINEN DRESS; latest model. White 27 inch. Choice.....\$3.95

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\$20.00 to \$25.00 values.....\$14.00

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Latest styles, best materials, all colors.....\$1.50

1c WASH SKIRTS, of fine linen; in all colors and white. Sale price, up to \$1.00.....59c

2c WASH SKIRTS, of fine linen; extra sizes; latest models. Sale price, each.....98c

1c DRESSES for misses; values 12 to 17; latest styles. Choice.....79c

15c PERCALE; full yard wide; light patterns. Sale price, yard.....8c

2c WINDOW SHADES; best opaque; green and white. Sale price, each.....15c

25c OILCLOTH; the famous "Sanitas" brand; light and dark patterns. Yard.....12c

8c GUEST TOWELS; extra absorbent; soft finish. Sale price, each.....2c

25c TABLE DAMASK; bleached; 72 inches wide; pretty patterns. Sale price, yard.....39c

25c TOWELS; red and white; size 12x36 inches. Sale price, each.....9c

ROMPER SUITS; made of checked gingham; sizes 4, 6, 8, and 10; made; regular 50c value. Sale price.....25c

STRAW AND PIQUE HATS; dainty styles for small children only; values in the lot up to \$2.98. Sale price, each.....25c

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